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Applicant: Tracey L. Colpitts *et al.*

Serial No.: 09/549,342

Filed: April 13, 2000

For: REAGENTS AND METHODS USEFUL  
FOR DETECTING DISEASES OF THE  
REPRODUCTIVE TISSUES

Examiner: A. M. Harris

Group Art Unit: 1642

Attorney Docket No.: 5972USP6

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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT, OR ALTERNATELY,  
FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED  
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR § 1.137(b)**

Dear Sir or Madam:

Applicants hereby request reversal of the holding of abandonment of the above-identified application, or alternately revival of their application for patent abandoned unintentionally. The entire delay, if any, in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under either 37 CFR § 1.181 or 37 CFR § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

The subject application became abandoned per the attached Notice of Abandonment mailed June 23, 2006. Applicants are unable to obtain access to the PAIR record for their application to confirm this information, due to, per the attached copy of the Office letter, the Applicant and correspondence address of the subject file having somehow been altered in the USPTO records to that of Vysis, not of Abbott Laboratories. This response and its accompanying petition (and supporting documents) are being promptly submitted after Applicant has learned of the application's abandonment.

**Facts Supporting a Reversal of Holding of Abandonment**

Applicants' understanding of events is as follows:

1. The subject application is stated as being abandoned due to applicants alleged failure to respond to the Office letter mailed on April 29, 2005.
2. The Office letter mailed on April 29, 2005 states that corrected drawings received

in the application on April 13, 2000 are not acceptable due to failure to comply with margin requirements and imposed a two month time period to correct these informalities (i.e., by June 29, 2005).

3. Upon receipt of this communication, Applicants' counsel contacted the USPTO seeking recognition of the Formal Drawings previously filed in the application on February 11, 2002 (copy appended, including copy of stamped postcard showing receipt in the USPTO on February 26, 2002).

4. Applicants' counsel was advised to forward to the USPTO an electronic copy of the drawings previously filed. This was done by e-mail on May 9, 2005 (copy appended).

Based on the foregoing, it was understood by Applicants' counsel that the response to the Office letter mailed on April 29, 2005 had been timely filed on May 9, 2005. Counsel previously had paid the issue fee prior to receipt of the Office letter, on April 25, 2005.

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to revive the application referenced above. Applicants request that no fee be charged for this request as the response was timely filed.

#### Alternative Petition in the Event of Unintentional Abandonment

In the event the application was unintentionally abandoned due to the filing on May 9, 2005 being in any way deficient, Applicants herein submit their Response to the Office letter mailed on April 29, 2005.

Appended to the Response is a complete copy of the formal drawings filed in the application on February 26, 2002. Further appended are printer-ready versions of the formal drawings (i.e., Replacement Sheets to assist in the case where the formal drawings previously filed were not matched with the application). Applicants submit that these drawings as previously and presently submitted are in full compliance with drawings requirements. Applicants request in their Response that these drawings be matched with the subject application, and the application be passed to issue.

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to revive the application referenced above. Applicants request that any fees due be charged to deposit account of the undersigned. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional Filing Fees required under 37 CFR §1.16, as well as any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication for which full payment had not been tendered, to Deposit Account No. 01-0025.

#### Other Matters

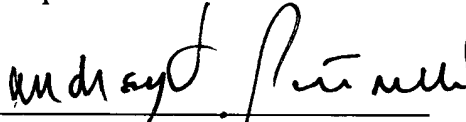
Applicants respectfully request correction of the USPTO records to properly acknowledge the correspondence information of Applicants' counsel such that written correspondence from the USPTO will be promptly received, and such that Applicants will have access to application information through USPTO PAIR.

CONCLUSION

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to revive the application referenced above or withdraw the holding of abandonment. Please advise the undersigned if there is any further information or documentation needed for the grant of the subject Petition.

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09/549,342	04/13/2000	Tracey L. Colpitts	5972.US.P6	7494

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EXAMINER

HARRIS, ALANA M

ART UNIT PAPER NUMBER

1642

DATE MAILED: 06/23/2006

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

Petition to Revoke

DUE DATE 7.23.06

DEADLINE DATE 7.23.06

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# **Notice of Abandonment**

Application No.

09/549,342

Examiner

HARRIS, ALANA M

Applicant(s)

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Art Unit

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-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--

This application is abandoned in view of:

1. ☒ Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office letter mailed on 04/29/05.
  - (a) ☐ A reply was received on \_\_\_\_\_ (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated \_\_\_\_\_), which is after the expiration of the period for reply (including a total extension of time of \_\_\_\_\_ month(s)) which expired on \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (b) ☐ A proposed reply was received on \_\_\_\_\_, but it does not constitute a proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 (a) to the final rejection.  
(A proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 to a final rejection consists only of: (1) a timely filed amendment which places the application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee); or (3) a timely filed Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114).
  - (c) ☐ A reply was received on \_\_\_\_\_ but it does not constitute a proper reply, or a bona fide attempt at a proper reply, to the non-final rejection. See 37 CFR 1.85(a) and 1.111. (See explanation in box 7 below).
  - (d) ☒ No reply has been received.
2. ☐ Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, within the statutory period of three months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).
  - (a) ☐ The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was received on \_\_\_\_\_ (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated \_\_\_\_\_), which is after the expiration of the statutory period for payment of the issue fee (and publication fee) set in the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).
  - (b) ☐ The submitted fee of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is insufficient. A balance of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is due.  
The issue fee required by 37 CFR 1.18 is \$\_\_\_\_\_. The publication fee, if required by 37 CFR 1.18(d), is \$\_\_\_\_\_.
  - (c) ☐ The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, has not been received.
3. ☐ Applicant's failure to timely file corrected drawings as required by, and within the three-month period set in, the Notice of Allowability (PTO-37).
  - (a) ☐ Proposed corrected drawings were received on \_\_\_\_\_ (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated \_\_\_\_\_), which is after the expiration of the period for reply.
  - (b) ☐ No corrected drawings have been received.
4. ☐ The letter of express abandonment which is signed by the attorney or agent of record, the assignee of the entire interest, or all of the applicants.
5. ☐ The letter of express abandonment which is signed by an attorney or agent (acting in a representative capacity under 37 CFR 1.34(a)) upon the filing of a continuing application.
6. ☐ The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference rendered on \_\_\_\_\_ and because the period for seeking court review of the decision has expired and there are no allowed claims.
7. ☐ The reason(s) below:

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Petitions to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b), or requests to withdraw the holding of abandonment under 37 CFR 1.181, should be promptly filed to minimize any negative effects on patent term.



## Attachment to Notice of Abandonment

**For questions concerning the notice contact  
Office of Patent Publication  
Image Assistance Center: 888-786-0101.**

Information is also available on the USPTO Internet web site:  
<http://www.uspto.gov/web/patents/pubs/abandonnotice.html>

### **Respond to the Notice of Abandonment by one of the following:**

#### **1. Petition To Withdraw Holding of Abandonment (See MPEP 711.03(c) I and 37 CFR § 1.181) No fee required**

Where an applicant contends that the application is not in fact abandoned (e.g., a reply was in fact filed), a petition under 37 CFR § 1.181(a) requesting withdrawal of the holding of abandonment is the appropriate course of action. Any petition under 37 CFR § 1.181 to withdraw the holding of abandonment not filed within 2 months of the mail date of a Notice of Abandonment may be dismissed as untimely under 37 CFR § 1.181(f). In order for a petition to be granted, the evidence must be sufficient according to 37 CFR § 1.8(b) Certificate of Mailing, 37 CFR § 1.10 "Express Mail" mailing, or MPEP 503 Postcard Receipt as Prima Facie Evidence. The petition should be addressed as follows:

By mail: Mail Stop: Issue Fee, Commissioner For Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
By facsimile: 703-872-9306

#### **2. Petition To Withdraw Holding Of Abandonment Based On Failure To Receive Office Action (MPEP 711.03(c) II and 37 CFR § 1.181). No fee required**

Where an applicant contends that the original Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due was never received, if adequately supported, the Office may grant the petition and remail the Office action. The showing required establishing non-receipt of an Office communication must include a statement from the practitioner stating that the Office communication was not received and attesting to the fact that a search of the file jacket and docket records indicates that the Office communication was not received. A copy of the docket record where the nonreceived Office would have been entered had it been received and docketed must be attached to and referenced in practitioner's statement.

Petition should be addressed to the Technology Center handling the application as follows:

By mail: Commissioner For Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
By facsimile: 703-872-9306

#### **3. Petition To Revive An Abandoned Application (See MPEP 711.03(c) III)**

Where there is no dispute as to whether an application is abandoned (e.g., the applicant's contentions merely involve the cause of abandonment) a petition under 37 CFR § 1.137 (a) or (b) (accompanied by the appropriate petition fee) is necessary to revive the abandoned application. The text of these rules is available on the USPTO Internet Web site. Forms for these petitions, "Petition For Revival Of An Application For Patent Abandoned Unavoidably Under 37 CFR § 1.137(a)," PTO/SB/61, and "Petition For Revival Of An Application For Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b)," PTO/SB/64, are available in the forms section of the USPTO website: <http://www.uspto.gov>.

Petitions under 37 CFR § 1.137 should be addressed to the Office of Petitions as follows:

By mail: Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner For Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
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Note: Abandonment takes place by operation of law for failure to reply to an Office action or timely pay the issue fee, not by operation of the mailing of a Notice of Abandonment



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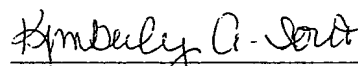
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith for the patent application identified above entitled REAGENTS AND METHODS USEFUL FOR DETECTING DISEASES OF THE REPRODUCTIVE TISSUES are the following:

1. Submission of Formal Drawings;
2. Formal Drawings, 2 Sheets (FIG. 1 – FIG. 2);
3. Copy of Form PTO 948 mailed on September 17, 2001; and
4. Return Receipt Postcard.

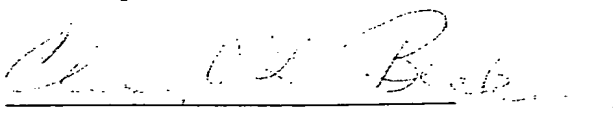
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional Filing Fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16, as well as any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17 associated with this communication for which full payment had not been tendered, to Deposit Account No. 01-0025. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

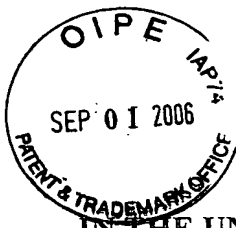


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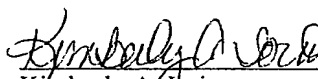
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**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

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Dear Sir:

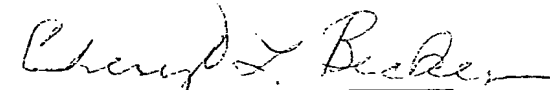
Transmitted herewith are 2 sheets (FIG. 1 – FIG. 2) of corrected formal drawings as required in the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review mailed on September 17, 2001, a copy of which is enclosed. Please replace the originally filed informal drawings with the formal drawings submitted herewith. If any problems exist with the enclosed Formal Drawings, the undersigned would appreciate a telephone call from the Draftsman as soon as possible.



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C3 Rat SBP	MKLVF	LFLLV TIPIC	CYASGSG...	...CSILDEV	IRGTINSTVT	LHDYMKLVKP
BU101	MKLSV	CLLLVTLALC	CYQAN....	AEFCPALVSE	LLDFFFI..S	EPLFKLSLAK
ESSBP, I	MRLSV	CLLMVSLALC	CYQAH....	ALVCPAVASE	ITVFLFL..S	DAAVNLQVAK
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UTERO RABBIT	MKLAI	TLALVTLALL	CSPAS....	AGICPRFAHV	IENLLLG..T	PSSYETSLKE
CC10 HUMAN	MKLAV	TLTLVTLALC	CSSAS....	AEICPSFQRV	IETLLMD..T	PSSYEAMEL

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FIG. 1

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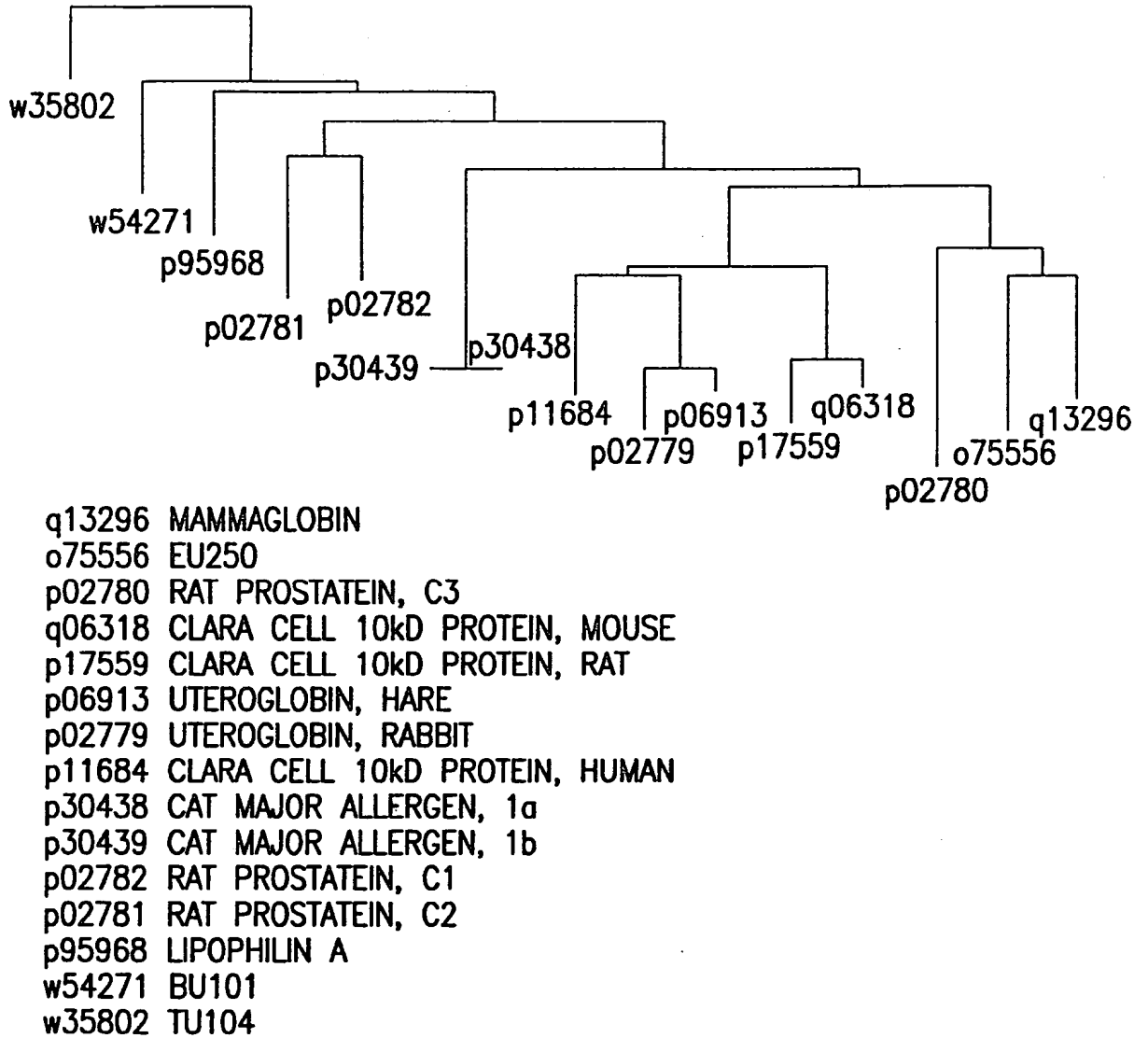
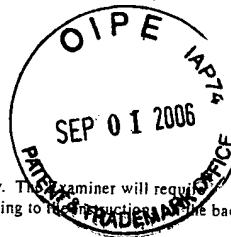


FIG.2

NOTICE OF DRAFTSPERSON'S  
PATENT DRAWING REVIEWThe drawing(s) filed (insert date) 7/1/06 are:A. ☐ approved by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152.B. ☐ objected to by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152 for the reasons indicated below. The Examiner will require the submission of new, corrected drawings when necessary. Corrected drawing must be submitted according to the instructions on the back of this notice.

1. DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(a): Acceptable categories of drawings:  
Black ink. Color.  
Color drawings are not acceptable until petition is granted.  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Pencil and non black ink not permitted. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
2. PHOTOGRAPHS. 37 CFR 1.84 (b)  
1 full-tone set is required. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Photographs not properly mounted (must use bristol board or photographic double-weight paper). Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Poor quality (half-tone). Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
3. TYPE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(c)  
Paper not flexible, strong, white, and durable.  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Erasures, alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, copy machine marks not accepted. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Mylar, velum paper is not acceptable (too thin).  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
4. SIZE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(f): Acceptable sizes:  
21.0 cm by 29.7 cm (DIN size A4)  
21.6 cm by 27.9 cm (8 1/2 x 11 inches)  
All drawing sheets not the same size.  
Sheet(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Drawings sheets not an acceptable size. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
5. MARGINS. 37 CFR 1.84(g): Acceptable margins:  
Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm  
SIZE: A4 Size  
Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5 cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm  
SIZE: 8 1/2 x 11  
Margins not acceptable. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Top (T) \_\_\_\_\_ Left (L) \_\_\_\_\_  
Right (R) \_\_\_\_\_ Bottom (B) \_\_\_\_\_
6. VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h)  
REMINDER: Specification may require revision to correspond to drawing changes.  
Partial views. 37 CFR 1.84(h)(2)  
Brackets needed to show figure as one entity.  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Views not labeled separately or properly.  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Enlarged view not labeled separately or properly.  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
7. SECTIONAL VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84 (h)(3)  
Hatching not indicated for sectional portions of an object.  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Sectional designation should be noted with Arabic or Roman numbers. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
8. ARRANGEMENT OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(i)  
Words do not appear on a horizontal, left-to-right fashion when page is either upright or turned so that the top becomes the right side, except for graphs. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
9. SCALE. 37 CFR 1.84(k)  
Scale not large enough to show mechanism without crowding when drawing is reduced in size to two-thirds in reproduction.  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
10. CHARACTER OF LINES, NUMBERS, & LETTERS. 37 CFR 1.84(i)  
Lines, numbers & letters not uniformly thick and well defined, clean, durable, and black (poor line quality).  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
11. SHADING. 37 CFR 1.84(m)  
Solid black areas pale. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Solid black shading not permitted. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Shade lines, pale, rough and blurred. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
12. NUMBERS, LETTERS, & REFERENCE CHARACTERS. 37 CFR 1.84(p)  
Numbers and reference characters not plain and legible.  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Figure legends are poor. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Numbers and reference characters not oriented in the same direction as the view. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(1)  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
English alphabet not used. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2)  
Figs \_\_\_\_\_  
Numbers, letters and reference characters must be at least .32 cm (1/8 inch) in height. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(3)  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
13. LEAD LINES. 37 CFR 1.84(q)  
Lead lines cross each other. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Lead lines missing. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
14. NUMBERING OF SHEETS OF DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(i)  
Sheets not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numerals beginning with number 1. Sheet(s) \_\_\_\_\_
15. NUMBERING OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(u)  
Views not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numerals, beginning with number 1. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_
16. CORRECTIONS. 37 CFR 1.84(w)  
Corrections not made from prior PTO-948 dated \_\_\_\_\_
17. DESIGN DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.152  
Surface shading shown not appropriate. Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Solid black shading not used for color contrast.  
Fig(s) \_\_\_\_\_

## COMMENTS

REVIEWER \_\_\_\_\_ DATE 6/27/06 TELEPHONE NO. 202 365 2600ATTACHMENT TO PAPER NO. 1



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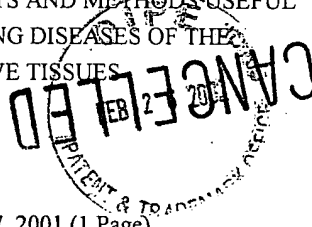
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